



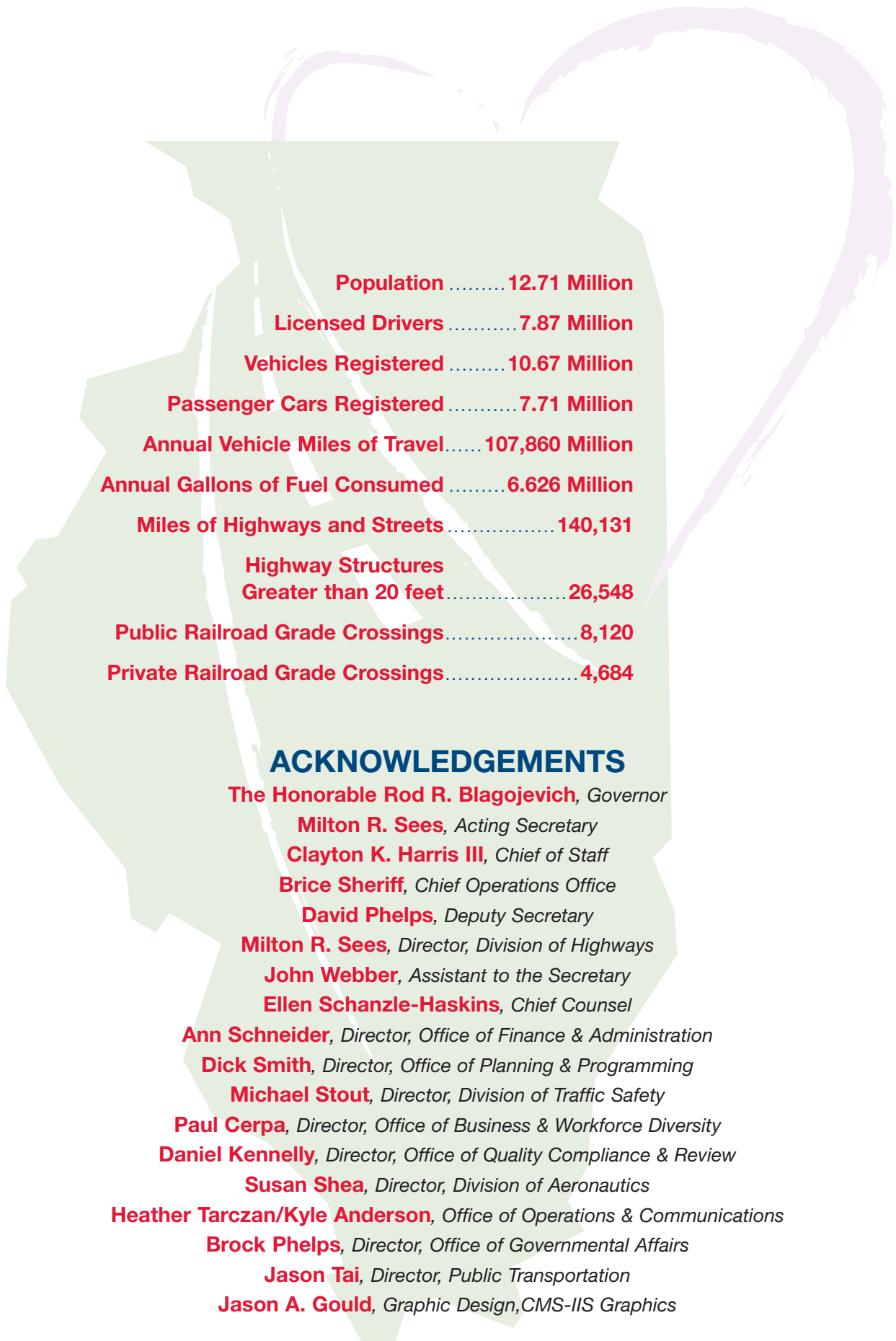
CONCLUSION

At IDOT: JUST THE BEGINNING...

As Governor Blagojevich ends his first term in the office and embarks on his second term for Illinois, our look back shows that 2006, in many ways, has been a capstone year in the history of IDOT. With advances in staff development, process efficiencies, productivity and technology inside IDOT leading to advances in traffic safety, communications, congestion relief and transportation development outside IDOT, the conclusion of 2006 truly marks a beginning for Illinois.

As IDOT looks toward 2007 and beyond, long-range strategies center on further improvements in process efficiency, program effectiveness, staff productivity, communications and safety on behalf of all Illinois travelers and all stakeholders in the future of transportation development in Illinois.

As the IDOT guiding principles promise, the Department will remain committed to continuing safety, integrity, responsiveness, quality and innovation as the IDOT way of doing business throughout Illinois. In these ways, IDOT lives its pledge of professionalism and dedication to meeting the needs of Illinois travelers, and renews that pledge as a matter of course every single day. Illinois can count on it.



Population	12.71 Million
Licensed Drivers	7.87 Million
Vehicles Registered	10.67 Million
Passenger Cars Registered	7.71 Million
Annual Vehicle Miles of Travel.....	107,860 Million
Annual Gallons of Fuel Consumed	6.626 Million
Miles of Highways and Streets	140,131
Highway Structures Greater than 20 feet.....	26,548
Public Railroad Grade Crossings.....	8,120
Private Railroad Grade Crossings.....	4,684

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